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## MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of Shaun JORDAN, Akihito WATANABE,

Shiro OKUNO and Takeshi WATANABE entitled

"CONGENIC RATS CONTAINING A MUTANT GPR10 GENE"

Assignee: OTSUKA PHARMACEUTICAL CO., LTD.

Our Ref: **Q-69854** 

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 67 sheets of the specification, including the claims and Abstract, and 16 sheets of drawings.

A copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

Simultaneously filed herewith is a Statement in Support of Submission (accompanied by the Sequence Listing and DOS Version diskette containing the same).

Please amend Page 1 of the specification (after the Title and before line 2) by inserting the following:

-- This Application claims benefit of Provisional Application No. 60/465,214, filed April 25, 2003; the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference. --

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Respectfully submitted,

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